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<b>Interview Summary</b>	Application No. 09/844,706	Applicant(s) SHAH ET AL.	
	Examiner Neveen Abel-Jalil	Art Unit 2165	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Neveen Abel-Jalil.

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(2) Mr. Bob Earl (Inventor).

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Date of Interview: 12 August 2005.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic    b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant    2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes    e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: Claim 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Tse et al. (U.S. Pub. No. 2002/0078018 A1).


Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The Applicant requested the interview to discuss and clarify the invention in particular the limitations of "receiving a request to calculated measure" and "the allocated dimension level being undefined at a lowest dimension level" as stated in claim 1. The Applicant argued that instant invention breaks down and allocates data downwards thereby dynamically creating data in the undefined dimension. The Examiner disagreed in stating this step is not clearly interpreted or explained in claim language. The Examiner referred to the cited art Tse et al. page 4, paragraphs 0056-0061 in maintaining the rejection. No agreement was reached. Applicant stated a reply will be filed to the PTO shortly.